

**EARLINGTON
RESCUE STATION**

Thos. O. Long, Assistant Mine Inspector Expecting Shipment of Apparatus.

**PROVISIONS MADE BY INSPECTOR
NORWOOD FOR PROTECTION.**

Quick Work of Rescue Will be Done in Case of Accident in Western Kentucky.

Earlington is to be practically a Rescue Station, after all, though not established by act of Congress.

Thos. O. Long, Assistant Mine Inspector will have in a few days the oxygen helmets and all necessary apparatus for carrying on the work of rescue in coal mines in case of explosion or other accident, endangering lives of miners in the Western Kentucky coal field. Mr. Long has advice from Mr. C. J. Norwood, Chief Inspector of Mines for Kentucky, that shipment has been made of part of this rescue outfit, from Pittsburgh, and that the complete equipment will be furnished as quickly as possible. Most of this apparatus has had to be imported and shipment has been slower on this account. But Mr. Long will receive in a few days two Drager Oxygen Helmets and cylinders of oxygen. An expert representative will visit Earlington when the total shipment has been received, and will open and install the Rescue Station to be under the control of Mr. Long, and will, in all probability, give a demonstration of the proper use of the apparatus while here. The outfits are of the latest and most approved models and have been adopted by the Mining Bureau of the national government.

In addition to the equipment here, two of these helmets will be placed at Central City and others at Lexington, and there will be available on short notice eight of the outfits for use in any emergency in Western Kentucky. Each assistant inspector is to be provided with two complete outfits. The shipment to Earlington was made on Sept. 14 from Pittsburgh and is expected to arrive here on any train. Besides this, Evansville was recently designated as a central rescue station which may be drawn upon by Kentucky, Indiana and Illinois, so that the Government is looking well to the protection of the coal miners in the great coal fields of this central country.

Mr. Long may be depended upon to be a minute man in the use of this apparatus in any emergency, with the quick cooperation of Chief Inspector Norwood and the entire strength of the Kentucky Bureau of Mines.

CIRCUIT COURT BEGAN MONDAY

Only One Murder Case Set for Trial for This Term.

The regular September term of the Hopkins circuit court convened Monday morning at 9 o'clock with Judge J. F. Gordon presiding. The session will be a busy one for all dockets are crowded.

There are 64 cases on the commonwealth, 36 on the common law, 59 on the common law appearance and 66 on the appearance equity dockets. Judge Gordon, attorneys and litigants will have a great deal of work to do.

Only one murder case has been set for trial, this being the case of the commonwealth vs. Richard McNary.

The grand jury will be empaneled Monday and Judge Gordon will then deliver his charge. The petit jury will be empaneled Tuesday.

MANY WILL SEE CIRCUS

Hundreds From This City and Surrounding Country to Visit Ringling Shows.

Ringling Brothers' Circus is the magnet that will attract hundreds of visitors from this city and the surrounding country to Hopkinsville on Saturday Oct. 1. The railroads are offering special inducements in the way of cheap rates.

The program the Ringlings are offering this year is less than wonderful. It is given by 375 artists. Over 200 of them are Europeans, making their first tour of America. There are no less than 100 big acts. Novelties will be presented by the telephoning elephants; the wonderful Schuman horses, from Schuman's German circus—the Lorch family of acrobats; the Arthur Saxon trio of strong men; Robledo, the Spanish wire dancer; the Manello Marantz family of upside down bell ringers; the Alexis family of aerialists; the Dutton company of equestrians; the aerial Klarkonians, and the fifty funniest clowns in the world.

The forenoon parade is far the best street spectacle the Ringling Brothers have ever devised. It was built in the foreign workshops of the show near Liverpool last winter at the cost of more than \$1,000,000. It was made from designs executed by the best artists of Italy and France. In it will be seen 1,280 people from all parts of the world, 650 horses and more than half the elephants in America. It will be three miles long. It leaves the show grounds at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

New Shoes Causes Death.

Eugene Lightfoot, colored employee of the Catulago construction camp, working at Mortons Gap, met with a peculiar accident this morning which caused his death. While working with several other laborers laying railroad ties the fatal accident occurred.

He had recently purchased a new pair of shoes which it is said caused his death. He and several other men were packing a heavy tie, when his foot slipped on a rail as the result of a slippery bottom and he fell, receiving the full force of the tie on his neck. His neck was broken and skull fractured.

The negro was a good worker and was one of the most trusted employees of the construction crew.

Coroner J. M. Stevens, of Madisonville, held an inquest over his dead body this morning and the jury decided that his death was the result of an accident.

Good Vaudeville Here.

One of the best vaudeville troupes seen at the Electric theatre this season was here Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights. The Kreeker children are cute little German comedians and delight the audience with their dialect songs and dialogues. Johnnie Lowry is there with the goods when it comes to singing and as a dance artist Billy Kersands takes the remnant of calico from the shrubbery. These people give a show that is well worth the price.

Electric Line From Hopkinsville to Guthrie.

That Electric railroad from Hopkinsville to Guthrie, which was talked considerably several months ago, and which many supposed had died and has been almost forgotten, is very much alive and promises to materialize.

MRS. MATTIE WOOTON DEAD.

Was Mother of Mrs. Ott Power, of This City.

Mrs. Mattie Wooton, wife of Lum Wooton, a well known contractor, of Madisonville, died at her home on Hall street Saturday morning at 2 o'clock. She had been confined to her bed since spring with a complication of diseases, but it was thought that death was caused by heart failure. She was 53 years of age.

Mrs. Wooton was born in the Mt. Zion country, in this county, and has spent practically all of her life in Madisonville. She was a member of the Baptist church and a good Christian woman.

She has two living brothers, Ben Robertson, of Evansville, Ind., and John Robertson, and one sister, Mrs. Henry Wilson, of Earlington. She leaves her husband and two daughters, Mrs. Ott Powers, of Earlington, and Mrs. Ed Winstead, of Mt. Vernon, Ind.

The death of his wife came as a great shock to Mr. Wooton and two physicians were with him Friday night.

The funeral took place at the residence on Hall street Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The funeral services will be conducted by Rev. J. A. Kirtley. Interment took place at the Odd Fellows' cemetery.

Resolutions of Respects of the I. O. O. F.

Whereas, the angel of death has called from among us our beloved brother, Bas Todd; Therefore, be it

Resolved, That in the death of Brother Todd this lodge loses one of its oldest as well as one of its most beloved members, the community a man whose character and habits were worthy of the highest commendation, and one whose words and deeds won for him universal esteem.

Resolved, That the heartfelt sympathy of this lodge be tendered the family, and we commend them in this time of trial and sorrow to the care of Him who doeth all things well.

Resolved, Further, That a page be set apart in the record book of the lodge as a memorial and these resolutions spread thereon and a copy sent to the family and same be published in the Earlington Bee.

A. J. BENNITT,
F. B. ARNOLD,
J. W. VEAZEY,
Committee.

Whole Family Have Typhoid Fever.

Dr. C. M. Smith, of this place, is passing through a siege of typhoid fever in his family. Roy, his second son, who holds a position with the L. & N. at Earlington, came home several weeks ago, ill, and it soon developed that he had typhoid. Miss Ruth, the only daughter, was the next to take the dreadful malady. She has passed through a severe attack and is now on the way to recovery. The last one in the family to take the fever was Frank, next to the youngest son.—Dixon Journal.

Shooting Occurs Near Pool Room.

During a quarrel Saturday morning in the restaurant in the rear of Hudson's pool room, on West Center street, Madisonville Ben Ramsey, who is employed at the pool room, shot once at Fred Epley, but missed him. He shot Epley's feet according to reports.

Ramsey was placed under arrest by Patrolman Wilson and his trial will occur this afternoon at 3 o'clock in police court.

Madisonville Notes

Miss Mattie Gray left for Princeton Sunday.

Miss Elsie Brown was in Earlington Monday.

Mrs. J. B. Ross, of this city, was in Nortonville Sunday.

Mrs. Geo. Davis visited Mrs. Mike Cain in Mortons Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kington, of Mortons Gap, visited friends here Sunday.

Mrs. Walter Thompson, of this city, left for Guthrie this morning.

Miss Mary Trathen, of Nortonville, was here Monday visiting friends.

Mrs. Mike Cain spent the day Sunday in Madisonville with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Carter, of White Plains, spent Sunday with relatives in this city.

Mrs. Lewis, of Jackson, Miss., who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Ross several weeks, returned home Sunday.

Rufe Whittinghill, the popular insurance man of this place was in Earlington Monday morning fishing. He was rewarded by a catch of two nice green bass weighing about four pounds each.

POPULAR YOUNG COUPLE WED.

Miss Richie Stone and Percy Jameson, of This City, Were Married in Evansville.

Miss Richie Stone and Percy Jameson, both prominent young society people, of this city went to Evansville Thursday morning and were made man and wife. They were accompanied by Mr. Earl Stone, a brother of the bride and Miss Winnie Ashby, of Madisonville. The ceremony took place in the parsonage of the St. Paul Episcopal church and was performed by Rev. William Reid Cross.

The bride and groom returned to Earlington Friday morning and will make their home with Mrs. M. E. Goodell, on Railroad street.

The bride is the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Stone, and is a popular young society lady. The groom is a rising young railroad man employed as chief clerk at the chief dispatcher and during his stay here has made a number of friends.

NOTE—This news item was written up for last Friday's issue but was held out by request of the bride and groom with the understanding it would not appear in the other county papers until Sept. 27.

PEMBROKE VS. MADISONVILLE

Scores 3 to 0 in Favor of Madisonville in Hotly Contested Game.

The Pembroke and Madisonville foot ball teams met in a hotly contested game on the grounds at Madisonville Saturday, and Madisonville won by a score of 3 to 0. Both teams played a good fast game. Spillman played with his old time form and kept up his reputation as one of the best players in the team.

What The Saloons Did to Dawson.

Voting whiskey out of Dawson has worked a wonderful change for the better in an incredibly short length of time. Last year with the saloons in full blast, Dawson had 65,000 visitors, this year with no saloons the number of visitors will reach 135,000. The banks have all increased their deposits, more new houses are being built. And last but not least more old accounts have been collected this year than ever before. The good people of Dawson says "no more saloons for them."

WOODMEN HAVE BIG SESSION

Will Go to Louisville on Oct. 23 to Attend Big Class Initiation.

Col. J. H. Brewer, of Louisville, state manager of the Woodman of the World, and a number of visiting sovereigns from Earlington and neighboring camps, were in attendance at the regular meeting of the Madisonville camp Friday night. Three candidates were initiated, two from Earlington and one from Madisonville. After the regular business session Col. Brewer made a short address in the interest of the 6,000 class initiation in Louisville on October 23.

Originally the class initiation to be held in Louisville was to have been 5,000, but since nearly 4,500 applications have already been received, it was decided to raise the mark to 6,000.

Forty special trains throughout the state with exceedingly low rates have been arranged for to carry the immense crowds to Louisville. It is probable that Madisonville and Earlington will have a special train, with a round trip rate of \$2. The train will leave Saturday night, October 22, and will return Monday morning. The train is not limited to Woodmen.

No More Hanging in Kentucky.

Although it is expected that the chair may not be used for months, the work of installing the death chair at the Eddyville Penitentiary is going on steadily, the prison commission taking no chances of being caught napping. The chair will be ready in a few weeks, and any condemned man who is to die in the chair will be put to death at Eddyville in what is considered the most approved manner. The electrocution law became effective on June 14.

Howard Withdraws.

Capt. Nat Howard, the Republican candidate for Congress from the 3rd. District, has withdrawn from the race on account of bad health. He has been sick for several days at his home in Morganfield, threatened with typhoid fever.

MRS. CAL. WALKER DEAD

Beloved Madisonville Woman Goes to Her Long Home.

Mrs. Cal. Walker, a well known and popular lady of Madisonville, died at her home in that city about eight o'clock Friday morning. Mrs. Walker had been ill with lung trouble for several months and the end was not unexpected. She leaves a husband and three children, Mary Louise, Edward and Henry Bailie, one sister, Mrs. A. R. Jones, and a brother, Mr. C. H. Murphv. Mrs. Walker was a good Christian woman, a life long member of the Methodist church and all who knew her were her friends.

Funeral services were held at the church Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock by Rev. A. D. Litchfield her pastor and all that was mortal of this loving wife, fond mother and affectionate friend was laid to rest amid a profusion of flowers and in the presence of a large number of friends in the Odd Fellows' cemetery and her spirit has winged its way up through the ether blue to join the ranks of God's saints, who dwell in the Eternal City.

Will Pay Fifty Cents on the Dollar.

An inventory of the stock and real estate held by R. L. Parish, who recently filed a petition in bankruptcy, shows the assets of the firm to be about \$8,000 and their liabilities something like \$13,000.

The Madisonville Savings Bank is the largest creditor.

The principal creditors are: Madisonville Savings Bank, \$3,353; Hopkins County Bank, \$1,750; Farmers National Bank, \$550; Home Improvement Company, \$1,450, and D. C. James, \$1,500.

It is estimated that the firm will pay fifty cents on the dollar.

A man never realizes the superiority of woman so much as when he is sewing on a button without a thimble, pushing the needle against the wall to get it half way through the other half by hanging on to it with the teeth.

\$30 Hoosier Kitchen Cabinet

Given Away by the

SEMI-WEEKLY BEE NOVEMBER 1st

In order to get new subscribers and collect back subscriptions the Semi-Weekly Bee will give with each dollar paid on subscription a ticket with a number on it. This ticket entitles you to a chance on the \$30 Kitchen Cabinet now on display in the Bee office. These tickets run from 501 to 1301 and the number that wins is in a sealed envelope deposited in the Earlington Bank. In case all the numbers are not taken by November 1st, then the next lowest number to the one in the bank gets the \$30 Cabinet. Some one will get this useful and handsome piece of kitchen furniture on November 1st and it may be you. If you are not a subscriber, now is the time to join us. If you are a subscriber now is the time to renew or pay up your subscription.

Remember \$1.50 pays for the Semi-Weekly Bee one year, gives you a chance at the \$30 Cabinet and your choice of the Graniteware or one of Roosevelt's Thrilling Experience Hunting Big Game in Africa. Come to the Bee office and let us show you the premiums. This is the opportunity of a life time. Take advantage of it now.

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